

health care industrybrief

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Wasatch Front South (Salt Lake and Tooele Counties)

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Largest Employers

1. Intermountain Healthcare
2. University of Utah Health Care
3. ARUP Laboratories
4. Utah Department of Veterans Affairs
5. St. Mark's Hospital
6. Utah State Social Services
7. Valley Mental Health
8. Deseret Industries
9. Jordan Valley Medical Center
10. TURN Community Services, Inc.
11. Salt Lake Regional Medical Center
12. Pioneer Valley Hospital
13. Western States Lodging & Management
14. Salt Lake Community Action Program
15. Mountain Land Rehabilitation
16. Physician Group of Utah, Inc.
17. Granger Medical Clinic
18. Columbus Community Center

Health Care and Social Assistance Employment and Wages

Industry Name (Code)	2012 Number of Employees	2012 Average Monthly Wage	Dec. 2011 to Dec. 2012 Percent Change in Employment
Health care and social assistance (62)	68,670	\$3,655	3.3%
Ambulatory health care (621)	26,185	\$4,051	4.8%
Offices of physicians (6211)	10,408	\$5,625	1.6%
Offices of dentists (6212)	4,316	\$2,829	4.5%
Outpatient care centers (6214)	862	\$2,754	-8.3%
Medical and diagnostic laboratories (6215)	3,231	\$3,880	2.1%
Other ambulatory health care services (6219)	1,109	\$3,361	41.7%
Hospitals (622)	23,954	\$4,467	2.1%
General medical and surgical hospitals (6221)	19,643	\$4,601	1.8%
Psychiatric and substance abuse hospitals (6222)	881	\$4,183	7.2%
Other hospitals (6223)	3,429	\$3,776	2.3%
Nursing and residential care facilities (623)	8,704	\$2,062	3.1%
Nursing care facilities, skilled nursing (6231)	3,517	\$2,461	1.0%
Residential mental health facilities (6232)	2,420	\$1,783	2.7%
Continuing care, assisted living facilities (6233)	2,223	\$1,651	8.6%
Other residential care facilities (6239)	544	\$2,399	-3.2%
Social Assistance (624)	9,827	\$2,033	2.4%
Individual and family services (6241)	5,536	\$2,433	2.0%
Emergency and other relief services (6242)	674	\$2,819	-0.3%
Vocational rehabilitation services (6243)	1,338	\$1,186	5.4%
Child day care services (6244)	2,280	\$1,328	2.3%
Total area nonfarm payroll jobs	619,767	\$3,819	4.0%
Health care as a percent of total	11.1%	95.7%	

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services

Data is compiled quarterly; hence the most recent full-year data is available for the previous year and shows the general level of the industry employment.

Health Care and Social Assistance History

Year	Employment	Average Monthly Wage	Percent of Utah Average Monthly Wage	Number of Establishments	Payrolls (Millions)	Percent of Total Area Jobs	Percent of Total Area Wages
2007	60,288	\$3,255	107.0%	2,775	\$2,354.5	9.8%	9.4%
2008	62,981	\$3,351	107.4%	2,799	\$2,532.8	10.2%	9.9%
2009	64,888	\$3,543	111.7%	2,813	\$2,758.8	11.0%	11.0%
2010	66,330	\$3,508	108.4%	2,859	\$2,792.3	11.3%	11.0%
2011	67,178	\$3,577	108.2%	2,919	\$2,883.3	11.2%	10.8%
2012	68,670	\$3,655	107.9%	3,023	\$3,012.0	11.1%	10.6%

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Health Care and Social Assistance Jobs in Demand

Salt Lake City Area

Occupation Code	Occupation Title	Number of Employees	Inexperienced Hourly Wage	Median Hourly Wage
21-1093	Social and human service assistants	1,610	\$10.06	\$13.27
29-1141	Registered nurses	9,480	\$24.15	\$29.14
29-2012	Medical and clinical laboratory technicians	1,130	\$11.10	\$14.06
29-2021	Dental hygienists	950	\$30.14	\$33.29
29-2061	Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses	860	\$14.69	\$20.58
29-2071	Medical records and health information technicians	1,130	\$10.27	\$13.23
31-1011	Home health aides	1,650	\$8.11	\$10.03
31-1014	Nursing assistants	4,820	\$9.95	\$11.10
31-9091	Dental assistants	1,710	\$10.95	\$13.25
31-9092	Medical assistants	2,660	\$12.04	\$13.64
37-2012	Maids and housekeeping cleaners	3,630	\$8.03	\$9.45
39-9011	Childcare workers	2,210	\$8.06	\$10.13
43-4171	Receptionists and information clerks	4,910	\$9.17	\$11.79
43-6013	Medical secretaries	2,240	\$12.01	\$14.10
43-6014	Secretaries and administrative assistants, except legal, medical and executive	10,110	\$12.00	\$15.48
43-9061	Office clerks, general	14,680	\$8.93	\$11.85

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Total Payroll Jobs December 2012

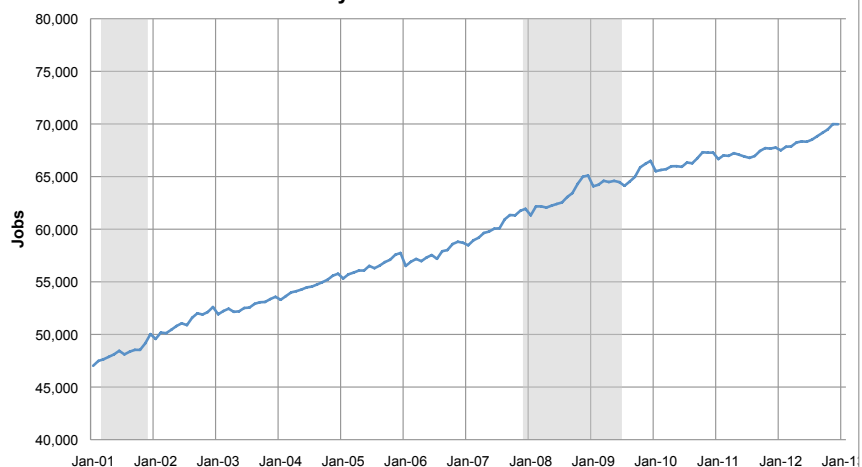
Statewide	1,282,559
Wasatch Front South	636,727
	49.6%

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Statewide	144,389
Wasatch Front South	69,974
	48.5%

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services

Wasatch Front South Health Care Industry Employment: January 2001 to December 2012



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